

VOTED TO GO ON STRIKE

Ninety-Five Per Cent of C.P.R. Telegraphers Threaten to Leave Service.

Winnipeg, Man., September 8.—Ninety-five per cent. of the members of the order of railway telegraphers have voted to strike and to leave the service of the Canadian Pacific Railway as soon as the law of Canada will permit them to do so, according to the statement made by a member of the order. The carrying out of this resolution at this time of the year, when every effort is being made to prepare for the expeditious handling of the wheat crop of the West, would be most serious not only to the railway company and the shippers, but to all the interests of the western provinces, whose bread and butter are bound up in the prompt marketing of the crop. One of the complaints made by the members of the order was to the effect that they were no longer given one day of rest as had been allowed at an earlier period of the year. At the time when the Lord's Day Act had come into force an arrangement had

been completed so that each operator was given one day in seven for rest without loss of salary. Recently this order was rescinded and the men are now required to work continuously seven days in the week, otherwise there is a deduction made in the amount of wages paid by the company. This order affects a large number of employees of the company, almost all of whom are now working seven days in the week, alleging that they are unable to afford the weekly rest if there is a reduction made in their salary.

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—The C. P. R. telegraphers, not commercial operators, have applied to the labor department for the appointment of a board of conciliation to enquire into the differences between themselves and the company principally in regard to wages. J. G. O'Donohue will represent the telegraphers and the company has been asked to appoint their man.

New Supreme Court Judges to be Appointed.

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—The new act regarding the judiciary of the Northwest, now Alberta and Saskatchewan, will be proclaimed and come into effect on Monday, September 9th. The judges in the Territorial Supreme Court will be equally divided. There will be two new courts in Alberta, with Hon. Arthur L. Sifton as chief justice, and in Saskatchewan with Hon. Mr. Wetmore as chief justice. It will be necessary to add one new judge to each court, none having as yet been appointed.

The name of N. D. Beck, K.C., is spoken of in local legal circles as slated for the new Supreme Court judiciary in Alberta.

Gang of Crooks Arrested.

Winnipeg, Sept. 8.—The Royal Northwest Mounted Police have rounded up a notorious gang of Winnipeg crooks who had just commenced a systematic attempt to burglarize large stores in all the Western towns. They were Angus McDonald, James Kelly and Joe King. Although direct evidence has only been secured against one of the crooks, McDonald, suspicion points to the entire gang. The trio of bad men intended to make an entire tour of the Canadian West, leaving burglarized stores behind them in every town they visited. Immediately following a burglary at St. Paul, the store of Paul Duffy at Broadview was broken into and \$65 worth of goods taken. This was on the night of September 4th, and by that time the police of the whole Northwest were aroused, and strenuous efforts were made to round up the crooks, whose identity was then unknown. On the morning of September 6th Angus McDonald was apprehended by members of the R.N.W.M.P. as he was purchasing a ticket from Grenfell to Regina. The goods were all found on him, but there was not sufficient evidence to implicate the other two men in the robbery. However, as they were unable to give satisfactory accounts of themselves they were sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment for vagrancy. McDonald was committed to stand trial at the next assizes. Skeleton keys were found in his boots.

Took Policeman for Bill Miner

Regina, Sept. 7.—An amusing Bill Miner episode happened yesterday. The local police have been looking for the escaped convict for some time. When they decided that they had spotted the desperado in the Landowton Hotel, they caught him in the basement and arrested after energetic protestations. Corporal Horning was sent for and identified the prisoner as Sergeant Bird, of the Wood Mountain detachment.

VERY SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST EDMONTON MAN

Wanted on a Charge of Embezzlement Which Covers Goods to the Value of \$10,000.

(Special to the Chronicle)

Calgary, Sept. 9.—Isa Shenfeld, alias J. W. Shenfeld, alias J. B. Shenfeld was arrested on suspicion, yesterday morning by Detective Officer Fox of the C.P.R. police service. The man under arrest arrived in Calgary on Saturday from the north, and was recognized by Detective Fox as bearing a very close resemblance to a man whose name had been supplied to the police and who was wanted on a charge of embezzlement. The officer theorized of course that his suspicions before making the arrest, allowed his man to leave the station. Yesterday morning when

Crushed By Massive Hook

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 8.—Crushed under the weight of a massive hook which was suddenly lowered from a crane, Karl Matern, an Austrian, met instant death at the boiler factory of the new C.P.R. shops Saturday. Matern was pursuing his duties, and did not receive a second's warning of the impending danger, until the five hundred pound hook crashed down on him causing ghastly injuries. The dead man leaves a widow and three small children. He came to the country from Austria, about fourteen years ago. He was about thirty years of age.

Will Vote on Man-Hood Suffrage

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—Hon. R. W. Scott, secretary of state, has appointed a board to compile the manhood suffrage vote in Brockville. The board will comprise Judge MacDonald, of the county court; O. K. Fraser, a clerk of the court; and Police Magistrate Duncan. At the last session of the provincial legislature the manhood suffrage registration act was passed to apply only to cities or towns having a population by the last Dominion census of 9,000 or over. Brockville at the last census had 8,900 population, which would not entitle it to a board of registration, but there is another provision in the act which permits the board for this election, but not hereafter.

Tragic Death in Toronto

Toronto, Sept. 8.—Mrs. Harriett Woolley, a woman about fifty years of age, died last night of heart failure, at the corner of Carlton and Sherbourne streets. She had just left the house of her employer, a Mr. Taylor, and had got to the corner when she was seized with a fainting fit. Abo Ophen, a well known sportsman, who was a witness at the death, saw that she was in a wrong and running into the house brought the woman a stimulant. "Give her this," he said, "I can't take it, I'm dying," was the reply and as she uttered the words the woman fell over and expired in Mr. Ophen's arms. Her husband is a laborer in the Copeland Brewery Company.

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STRATHCONA LOST LA-CROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP

Council of Alberta League Decide That Calgary Are Champions.

The following account of the meeting held to decide the question of the championship of the Northern section of the Alberta Lacrosse League is taken from the Calgary Alberta of Saturday:

The Calgary Lacrosse team is the champion team of the Northern section of the Alberta Lacrosse League. This decision was arrived at at a meeting of the council of the Alberta League which was held in Calgary last night.

Calgary will play home games with Lethbridge, champions of the Southern section. The first game will be played on Saturday, October 14, in Calgary, and the second on the following Friday in Lethbridge. If each team should win one game, the team scoring most goals will be declared winners. If it is towards the end of the season, which is very improbable, a third game will be played at High River, the tie to be arranged.

The following members of the council were present: Dr. DeVoe, president; E. Teiford, Dr. Stanley, and M. S. McCarty.

Mr. Kent and Manager Garbe looked after the interests of the Strathcona team, while O. P. McQueen, J. O. Gars, and Captain MacDonald looked after the interests of the Calgary club.

The meeting was held in the office of the Calgary Board of Trade and the first session was held at eight o'clock.

In his opening remarks the president regretted that there had been so much quarrelling and bickering between the clubs, and also that some of the clubs had not lived up to the rules of the constitution.

E. Teiford expressed his great appreciation of the services on behalf of Lacrosse of the president.

Then, the meeting began on the warmest of all topics, the policy that would be taken in the Calgary-Strathcona matter and particularly in regard to the tie game which was played in Calgary on July 17.

Mr. Teiford expressed his opinion that the difficulty could be arranged if they

decided exactly what position Edmonton was in.

Then the question was discussed again very freely. The Strathcona delegates hardly knew just where their men, as the game that was then being played between Strathcona and Edmonton would fit the standing. There was a report in the room at the time that Edmonton had won but it was not given to the council.

After much discussion, the following motion was passed:

"That in the opinion of the executive of the Alberta Lacrosse Association that the rules in this association must be lived up to in their entirety, and the situation as far as this year's play is concerned shows that laxity has been dominant on the part of some clubs towards the observance of the same, partially attributed to the fact that the association has not been in the season but in order to define existing conditions, the standing of the Northern district be defined from actual games played, making Calgary and Edmonton the winner of one-half point over Strathcona."

The method adopted was to give plus one point for a victory, plus half a point for a draw and minus one point for a defeat.

The standing was then:

Team	W	L	D	Points
Calgary	3	2	2	plus 2
Strathcona	3	3	1	plus 1 1/2
Edmonton	1	3	1	minus 1 1/2

It was then decided that home and home games should be played. O. P. McQueen and Dr. Stanley of High River were agreed upon as officials, alternating as referee and judge of play.

Manager Garbe, the recently appointed manager of the Strathcona team, acted in most sportsmanlike fashion. He stated that he could not understand how the finding was reached, but accepted the decision. Strathcona had put up a good fight and would put up a better fight next year.

The meeting adjourned and everybody seemed to be happy."

Maroons Beat Hatters Saturday

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—The Maroons took the second exhibition game played here, between Winnipeg and Medicine Hat by a score of 3-2. The game was an exhibition of baseball and exciting all through. The Hatters played good ball and came near tying the score several times. A large crowd attended the game, which is the last of the season here.

Scores:—

Team	R	H	E
Winnipeg	3	8	2
Medicine Hat	2	5	1

Batteries:—Hollis and Benay; Gernie and Voss.

A Record Courtship

Toronto, Sept. 7.—"I met him on an ice cream parlor in the morning, got a marriage license in the afternoon, and was married in the evening of the same day." This was the statement of Mrs. Pearl Rose Jones in the police court when giving evidence with regard to a case against her husband, who is charged with vagrancy and using insulting language to women over the telephone. The police officials say that this is the speediest courtship beats everything ever heard of in Toronto.

To Get Out More Iron Ore.

Sydney, N.S., Sept. 7.—Senator L. J. Forget, of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co., says it has been definitely decided to undertake as soon as convenient further developments of iron ore at Wabana, not only for the purpose of supplying the Sydney plant but for export trade as well.

Fatal Accident to a Swan River Citizen.

Swan River, Man., September 8.—An accident took place here on Sunday morning when J. A. George, harness dealer, and a prominent citizen lost his life through the accidental discharge of his gun. George saw two ducks flying and cocked one barrel. The ducks were however, beyond shooting range, but alighted in a slough close by. George followed carrying the gun under his right arm. On approaching this track, the gun accidentally discharged, firing back into the other barrel, so discharging the charge lodging in his right hip and shattering his bowels. He leaves a wife and three children.

Nan Patterson Again

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 8.—Not because he lost \$1,000 in backing a marriage party, as was reported, but because he had played his professional career here through his love for Nan Patterson, the former chorus girl, Dr. John Brytton, because known to day, killed himself in St. Louis. Dr. Brytton had spent his small fortune entertaining the woman, who was tried for the murder of Caesar Young in New York and when his money gave out she turned from him to those who could gratify her extravagant tastes. In the road house in which Nan Patterson held her court until the police insisted to her that her presence hereabouts was desired, no longer, Dr. Brytton was a familiar figure for about a month. He became infatuated with the woman and while his money lasted she pretended to be deeply attached to him. When he exhausted his bank account, however, she told him she had no further use for him. Finally one day she assaulted him openly on the street. Before committing suicide Dr. Brytton sent a letter to his friend Dr. William Garvin, of this city, in which he gave his reason for killing himself. Dr. Martin said that he could not keep away from her. Although Nan Patterson has disappeared from here she has left behind a train of sorrow that extends into the homes of several prominent families.

Heavy Fine for Intimidation

Cohalt, Ont., Sept. 7.—President McGuire, of the Cohalt Miners' Union, was fined \$500 or six months by Magistrate Brown, for intimidating men. Two other officers of the union were charged with the same offence but their cases were adjourned pending the decision of the court of appeal.

A Last Embrace

Muscate, Iowa, Sept. 7.—The bodies of a young man and a girl clasped in each other's arms, were found in the Mississippi river to day. There is nothing on the bodies to establish their identity. The police are undecided whether the pair jumped each other drowning accidentally or whether they resorted to a suicide compact and leaped into the river in a last embrace.

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Mrs. Carter Acquitted

New York, Sept. 8.—Mrs. L. Carter, who has been on trial for a week on a charge of receiving stolen jewelry, was acquitted by a jury Saturday. She was accused of receiving from Chester B. Runyan, the defaulting teller of the Windsor Trust Co., \$5,000 of the \$8,000 he stole from the bank. One of the jurors said that the jury agreed that the testimony of Runyan, who was the principal witness against Mrs. Carter, should be ignored on the ground that he was a self-confessed thief. Immediately after the verdict Mrs. Carter was released. She said she had not decided whether she would demand the reward for Runyan's capture which amounted to \$7,000.

Train Struck Buggy

Hartford City, Ind., Sept. 7.—Mrs. Robert Guesman, aged 40 years, a daughter eighteen years old, and a son aged twenty, met instant death just west of this city late last night when a buggy in which they were riding was struck by a fast Lake Erie Western train. The husband and father identified the victims at the morgue.

Engineers Were Blamed

London, Sept. 8.—A board of trade inquiry into the explosion of an auxiliary boiler on the Empress of Britain, at Quebec on June 21, whereby considerable damage was done to the vessel, was held at Liverpool. The court decided that the explosion was due to the neglect of the immediate third engineer, James P. Ogilvie, whose certificate was suspended six months. Several other crew members were censured. The board was granted a second class certificate.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

The Calgary Daily News is a bright paper, but its Independence would be more in evidence if it got its news from this city from some other source than the unreliable Crittenden Edition Bulletin. The organ of the Hon. Frank Oliver, managed by sweet savored Duncan Marshall, is not a good medium of unbiased information. Perhaps the News prefers its despatches from a little high, seeing that it is the only "Independent" paper we see that publishes the home-land regulations and other graft topics.

The Chronicle showed wherein the Bulletin story was false, and the News could have published a correct story if it wanted to. If you see it in the News don't worry; it may not be true... We are informed on good authority that among those who were active in working up the political feeling in the Board of Trade against the secretary were the "scribbling assassins" who collaborated in a number of venomous attacks on him in a local paper recently. We have only admiration for the rank and file of the Liberal party who were present and who expressed their views on the subject under discussion, and who said their dues like men for the purpose of casting their votes, but for the manipulators on the outside who worked on the feelings of better men than themselves and whose wide yellow streak was shown by their failure to appear and back up in the open their action under cover, we have only contempt, and our indignation is to the effect that those whom they urge to take up the cause, and whom they deserted at the critical hour, feel for them just the same disgust that we do.

One of these gentlemen will be well advised if he uses his remarks about the Chronicle and the secretary with a little more discretion. He frequently takes of "taking his medicine" in a becoming manner. We advise him to show better proof than he has lately of his merit along that line. He may have it administered in other than homoeopathic doses. As for the other gentlemen, we have treated him with more respect than recent circumstances convince us he is entitled to, and if we are forced to open up there will be a fresh pelt tacked on our stable door.

The cemetery, read the deplorable condition of which we pointed out last week has not been improved. The part of that within the city limits was the worst we saw in a drive yesterday of twenty-five miles and in a district where the city. Something should be done with it and soon.

Those survey parties that two years ago were so energetically driving stakes for the Grand Trunk Pacific near the Windsor barn are busily engaged building a dock in the city planned for the use of the All Red Route. The twenty thousand men whom Senator Talbot promised would be working on the GTR grade at this point have not yet arrived but are expected in one of the far vaster excursions.

The unfortunate financial stringency which the City Council is facing, is resulting in a grave impediment to at least one business firm in the city. The Strathcona Brewery Company's concern that is laying out a large sum of money on a Strathcona industry, is unable to get its promised sewer connection and is being sued for draining water onto the property of Thomas Anderson. It is of little use to induce industries to come to the city unless they can be given fair treatment when they establish here.

THE TROUBLES OF THE INDEPENDENT.

(Tribune)
One of the most noticeable traits of human nature is the desire that every man should be labeled, like a collector's bug or a lawyer's document and carefully ticked away in a pigeonhole, where he can always be located at a moment's notice.

If a man happens to be a writer who deals with serious subjects, he is promptly pigeon-holed as "serious" and he must become ten times as funny as any not so classified before he can escape a smile.

If another man chances to devote most of his efforts to humor, he is promptly marked "Funny"—and every-

thing that he writes raises a roar, whether it be a joke or an obituary.

What is true of writers is true of everyone else. All must be classified—and no one is permitted to change pigeon-holes without a fight.

Nor do newspapers escape labeling. We have our Crit papers, our Tory papers and our Independent papers—and of these the most unjustly treated are the last.

It is the business of the Independent paper to be independent—not to be destructive of ideas. This, however, is a fact that your patrons will not believe or understand.

It is all right for an Independent newspaper to criticize a Tory Government—and promptly be labeled "Grit" by the Tories—but let it cast a disapproving eye on your Grit Government, and the old label is promptly torn off and a new one, bearing the magic name "Tory" stuck on.

It never occurs to the partisans that both Tory and Tory Governments can be deserving of criticism. In fact, it never seems to occur to these persons that there can be any honest criticism of either party. There must be a hidden motive behind all unpleasant comment on a political party or Government—and as the partisans know how to be inspired, it jumps to the conclusion that the Independent press is subject to the same kind of influence. A case in point: The Toronto News is an honest and fearless Independent newspaper. It opposed the Ross, Liberal Government in 1910—and was branded "Tory" for its pains.

It strongly denounced the Laurier Government at the time of the passing of the Autonomy Bill—and another "Tory" label was stuck on.

Then it criticized the Whitney, Conservative Government—and was dubbed "Grit" once more. Later, it took another go at Laurier—and had "Tory" stuck on its front door.

The other day, it ventured to predict that Mr. Borden will not succeed in carrying the country, next year—and is again promptly branded "Grit" by the Winnipeg Tory organ.

As a matter of fact, the News has never been anything but Independent, since it came under the present management, four or five years ago. It is thoroughly honest and says what it thinks. It does not insist on its views being accepted—it merely presents them for what they are worth. But it refuses to consent to wear a party label—consequently, like The Tribune and every other Independent newspaper, it "enjoys" the hostility of the stupid partisans of both political organized big game.

Truly, the life of your Independent is an exciting one!

While in Kansas a few years ago I had a very clear view of a tornado. It was about ten miles distant, passing swiftly over the prairie. It presented the appearance of a long rope about two feet in diameter. It extended from a dark, irregularly shaped cloud to the earth and was slightly curved. It was of nearly uniform thickness and lashed about thirty-five degrees from a perpendicular toward the cloud. A line drawn from where I stood to the cloud would have made an angle of about forty degrees with the earth's surface. After this roiling projection had passed I noticed in the irregular cloud a perfectly shaped spiral of silver whiteness. It was shaped like a great auger and extended from the point where the funnel or rope had been connected with the cloud forward in the direction the cloud was moving. All around it was in wild commotion, but the spiral itself seemed to stand like a great white ribbon coiled upon a huge and dark sphere. This spiral at the time I caught sight of it was lying in a nearly horizontal position, the far end being only slightly elevated. I have never met any one who has seen this spiral in the tornado cloud but by one who came dangerously near being caught by a passing tornado I was told that the center of the whirling funnel was as white as milk. From his statement, taken in connection with my own observations, I have formed the opinion that the center of all tornadoes is a perfectly shaped electrical spiral and that when in operation it connects the earth with the funnel's white appearance. But it is not likely that one looking at it in its upright form would detect its spiral form. Indeed, it would have to turn itself in a most favorable position in order to reveal to the eye of the observer its spiral form—Scientific American.

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Dining Room—1 extension table, solid oak and fancy carved, valued at \$65; 6 solid oak chairs worth \$9 each; 1 arm chair to match, worth \$9; 1 sideboard, solid oak, worth \$50; 1 combination china closet and writing desk worth \$10; 1 carpet square; other numerous articles.

Study—1 writing desk, worth \$22; 1 set upholstered furniture, six pieces; couch carpet.

Hall—Hall rack with marble top, very choice; stove.

Bed Room No. 1—1 solid oak bed, springs and mattress; 1 dresser with heavy mirror; 1 washstand—these three pieces valued at \$75; etc. Carpet; small table; rocker; stove.

Bed Room No. 2—3-piece suit as above worth \$75; chest of drawers; couch; chair.

Bed Room No. 3—3-piece suit as above, worth \$75; 1 desk; rug, etc.

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(Tribune)

Many organs of the Liberal party in Ontario have evidently served notice on the party leaders and managers that they will not in the future be bound to approve, follow and defend every move that those leaders and managers may be pleased to make.

Speaking at a meeting of the Ontario Reform Association at Toronto, yesterday, the president, H. M. Mowat, stated that "some party papers which they were accustomed to depend upon for constant and spirited party advocacy had asserted their intention to assume a detached attitude."

Good! At last the managers of the party press are beginning to appreciate the fact that the people are awakening to an understanding of their rights—and beginning to "tumble" to the further fact that they have been paying their good money to have a subsidized paper lis to and use them.

The box office is beginning to suffer—commercial shrewdness and a sense of self-preservation demand that the falling off in receipts be stopped—hence the notice served on the party leaders and managers that "a detached attitude" will in future be necessary.

The purely party paper is doomed. In the United States it has ceased to be a force—and soon will cease to exist.

What has happened to such papers in the republic will shortly happen here. The people are becoming too intelligent, are thinking for themselves too much to submit to being loaded up with party "dogma," merely that they may be used to serve the improper purposes of a group of capitalists and political adventurers at the polls.

For some time it has been noticeable that the "detached attitude" is common—but it is particularly gratifying to all who believe in enlightenment and independence to hear the president of a great party association admit the inability of the party longer to hold the journalistic series in line.

Vancouver B.C., Sept. 3.—Former Yukon Commissioner McInnis, now the representative in the north for the Guggenheim interests, returned from Dawson today with the news that the output of the Klondike this year would not be over \$3,000,000. This was due to the abnormally small supply of water for hydraulic, the large concerns being practically out of business. The Guggenheims are, however, putting in seventy miles of ditches, which will supply by next July a tremendous head of water. On account of the low water in the Yukon there will be a shortage in food supply in Dawson this winter, not a famine, but sufficiently bad to cause inconvenience.

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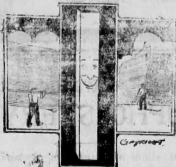
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Around the City.

Mrs. Evan Greene will not receive this month.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Q. O'Brien have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement by the death of their infant son William Douglas, who passed away yesterday.

A regular meeting of the Board of Trade will be held this evening, in the City Council Chamber to consider the advisability of sending an exhibit to the New Westminster and Victoria fairs.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to return our heartfelt gratitude and thanks to the kind friends and neighbors who so willingly aided us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and son.

Mrs. Jessie Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phillips.

DIED

O'BRIEN—At Strathcona, September 8, William Douglas, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Q. O'Brien, aged 4 months and 20 days. The funeral will be private.

A Baptism of Fire

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 8.—A baby was ushered into life here last night with a baptism of fire. Just as a son was born to Mrs. Matilda Till, the grandmother upset the lamp. The house burned down but the doctor succeeded in getting the infant out. The baby is still alive but the mother and grandmother, Mrs. Jesse Till, were so badly burned that they are not expected to live.

Knocked Mate into Steamer's Hold

Superior Wis., Sept. 7.—Joseph Krantz died at St. Francis Hospital in this city as the result of a fall from the hold of the steamer Keno, on which he was fireman. Krantz and older J. W. Brown, of Sarnia, Ont., were engaged in a dispute and Brown struck Krantz, knocking him into the hold. Brown is under arrest and will be charged with manslaughter.

A Stamp Menagerie.

A very complete menagerie may be found from a collection of postage stamps bearing animals, birds and insects, the central figures. The animals represented are lion, tiger, cheetah, giraffe, jaguar, camel, hippopotamus, buffalo, bear, leopard, dog, kangaroo, deer, horse, cow, llama, goat, monkey, donkey, beaver, duckbill, seal, mink, gorilla, cobra, crocodile, tortoise. The fowl family is represented by the peacock, owl, heron, eagle, parrot, turkey, snipe, swan, goose, quail, dove, etc. Bird, cat, elephant, greyhound, etc. Of fish there are but two—the cod and carp. The insect kingdom has no representative in the butterfly, beetle, in the culture of former Queen Victoria, and J. F. Stillman in St. Nicholas.

Writing to Help. Willie was an only child, whose parents lived on a farm. The other crew very lonely and longed for a playmate. One day he asked his mamma why she didn't get him a little brother. Mother replied, "Willie, babies are too much trouble to tend." "Say, mamma, if you'll plant him, I'll hoe him."

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Shaddock, b Bertenshaw 9

McLean, b Boyes 10

Palmer, lbw, b Boyes 11

Sandeman, b Boyes 12

Reid, c and b Bertenshaw 13

Hopkins not out 14

Extras 15

Total 102

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